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Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

[0021] FIG. 2A is a computer screen shot illustrating a course input web page comprising tee time availability information accessible to a golf course web browser according to one embodiment of the present invention; FIG. 2B is an embodiment of a single user interface listing multiple tee times available for multiple golf courses.

[0035] In one advantageous embodiment of the invention, tee time inventory for a plurality of golf courses is displayed on a single user interface, as shown in FIG. 2B. The intent is not to display the entire tee sheet, but instead a subset of the available tee times in a convenient fashion that does not require the golfer to undertake an elaborate database query to "zero in" on a desired tee time. The system instead displays only a few tee times per course per day but displays tee times from several courses on a single screen. In one embodiment of the invention, tee time inventory is gathered from multiple sources, such as the LMTT CCI and from multiple data sources connected to electronic teesheets. One advantage of this approach is that it is much more convenient to a prospective golfer to be able to view a subset of availability from several courses than it is to do an elaborate search. According to this embodiment, the system does not use database search queries (the "shot in the dark" approach) so that the display for the golfer is simplified, thus improving the utility to the golfer. This embodiment also overcomes golfer frustration resulting from "drill down" website architectures which require a user to navigate through multiple web pages to arrive at a web page for a particular golf course to reserve a tee time.

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